



DIGEST OF SB 546 (Updated March 30, 2009 4:05 pm - DI 77)

Citations Affected: IC 14-8; IC 14-15; IC 14-20; IC 14-22; IC 14-24; IC 14-26; noncode.

Synopsis: Natural resources matters. Establishes navigation rules for sailboats and nonmotorized boats. Removes the element of endangering others from the definition of "intoxicated" in the boating law. Amends the evidence requirements for blood alcohol content. Transfers the responsibility for the governors' portraits collection and governors' portraits fund from the historical bureau to the division of state museums and historic sites. Adds wildlife to the definition of "natural resources" for purposes of lake preservation laws. Removes the authority of a person with a federal permit to take or possess a migratory bird or the nest, eggs, or increase of a migratory bird during the closed season. Adds mourning doves to the list of game birds that require a habitat restoration stamp to hunt. Establishes nonresident youth hunting and trapping licenses. Establishes a voluntary resident senior license to fish. Allows certain transfers for money dedicated for fish and game purposes to be transferred to the nongame fund. Provides that fumigation with methyl bromide of nursery seedling beds is an official pest control treatment. Repeals and relocates governors' portraits laws.

Effective: July 1, 2009.

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(HOUSE SPONSORS — BISCHOFF, CHERRY)

January 15, 2009, read first time and referred to Committee on Natural Resources. February 2, 2009, amended, reported favorably — Do Pass. February 10, 2009, read second time, ordered engrossed. February 11, 2009, engrossed; returned to second reading. February 16, 2009, re-read second time, amended, ordered engrossed. February 17, 2009, re-engrossed. February 17, 2009, re-engrossed. February 19, 2009, read third time, passed. Yeas 50, nays 0.

HOUSE ACTION

March 5, 2009, read first time and referred to Committee on Natural Resources.

March 19, 2009, reported — Do Pass. March 30, 2009, read second time, amended, ordered engrossed.



First Regular Session 116th General Assembly (2009)

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Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or *this style type* reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2008 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

ENGROSSED SENATE BILL No. 546

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning natural and cultural resources and to make an appropriation.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1	SECTION 1. IC 14-8-2-77, AS AMENDED BY P.L.120-2008
2	SECTION 6, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
3	JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 77. "Division" has the following meaning:
4	(1) For purposes of IC 14-9-8, the meaning set forth in
5	IC 14-9-8-2.
6	(2) For purposes of IC 14-20-1 and IC 14-20-16, the meaning se
7	forth in IC 14-20-1-2.
8	(3) For purposes of IC 14-21, the division of historic preservation
9	and archeology.
0	(4) For purposes of IC 14-22, the division of fish and wildlife.
1	(5) For purposes of IC 14-24, the division of entomology and
2	plant pathology.
3	(6) For purposes of IC 14-25.5, the division of water.
4	(7) For purposes of IC 14-31-2, the meaning set forth in
5	IC 14-31-2-4.
6	(8) For purposes of IC 14-32, the division of soil conservation o
7	the Indiana state department of agriculture established by











1	IC 15-11-4-1.
2	(9) For purposes of IC 14-37, the division of oil and gas.
3	SECTION 2. IC 14-15-3-14 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
4	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 14. A person operating
5	a boat shall observe the following traffic rules when applicable:
6	(1) When two (2) boats are approaching each other "head and
7	head", or nearly so, each boat shall bear to the right and pass the
8	other boat on the boat's left side.
9	(2) When two (2) boats are approaching each other obliquely or
10	at right angles, the boat on the right has the right-of-way.
11	However, when:
12	(A) one (1) boat is under sail or is nonmotorized, the
13	sailboat or nonmotorized boat has the right-of-way; and
14	(B) two (2) boats are under sail or are nonmotorized, the
15	boat on the right has the right-of-way.
16	(3) A boat operated on a river or a channel shall bear to the right.
17	(4) A boat may overtake and pass another boat on either side if
18	the passing can be done with safety and within the assured clear
19	distance ahead, but the boat overtaken has the right-of-way.
20	(5) A boat leaving a dock, a pier, a wharf, or the shore has the
21	right-of-way over all boats approaching the dock, pier, wharf, or
22	shore.
23	SECTION 3. IC 14-15-8-3 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
24	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 3. As used in this
25	chapter, "intoxicated" means under the influence of:
26	(1) alcohol;
27	(2) a controlled substance;
28	(3) any drug (as defined in IC 9-13-2-49.1) other than alcohol or
29	a controlled substance; or
30	(4) any combination of alcohol, controlled substances, or drugs;
31	so that there is an impaired condition of thought and action and the loss
32	of normal control of an individual's faculties. to such an extent as to
33	endanger any person.
34	SECTION 4. IC 14-15-8-17 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
35	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 17. (a) At a proceeding
36	concerning an offense under this chapter, evidence of the amount by
37	weight of alcohol concentration that was in the blood or breath of the
38	person charged with the offense;
39	(1) at the time of the alleged violation; or
40	(2) within the time allowed for testing under section 12 of this
41	chapter;
42	as shown by an analysis of the person's (1) breath (2) blood (3) urine



1	or (4) other bodily substance is admissible.
2	(b) If, in a prosecution for an offense under this chapter,
3	evidence establishes that:
4	(1) a chemical test was performed on a test sample taken from
5	the person charged with the offense within the period of time
6	allowed for testing under section 12 of this chapter; and
7	(2) the person charged with the offense had an alcohol
8	concentration equivalent to at least eight-hundredths (0.08)
9	gram of alcohol per:
10	(A) one hundred (100) milliliters of the person's blood; or
11	(B) two hundred ten (210) liters of the person's breath;
12	the trier of fact shall presume that the person charged with the
13	offense had an alcohol concentration equivalent to at least
14	eight-hundredths (0.08) gram of alcohol per one hundred (100)
15	milliliters of the person's blood or per two hundred ten (210) liters
16	of the person's breath at the time the person operated the
17	motorboat. However, this presumption is rebuttable.
18	SECTION 5. IC 14-20-16 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
19	AS A NEW CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
20	JULY 1, 2009]:
21	Chapter 16. Governors' Portraits Collection
22	Sec. 1. (a) The governors' portraits collection is placed in the
23	custody of the division. The collection shall be permanently
24	displayed in public areas of the state house under the supervision
25	of the division, which is charged with its care and maintenance.
26	(b) The director of the division shall inspect each painting in the
27	collection annually in the company of one (1) or more experts in
28	the field of art conservation selected by the director of the division.
29	(c) After the inauguration of each governor, the director of the
30	division, with the concurrence of the governor, shall select and
31	commission an artist to paint the governor's portrait. The portrait
32	must be hung in the permanent collection immediately following
33	the completion and acceptance of the portrait by the director of the
34	division and the governor.
35	(d) The division shall include in its budget requests the amount
36	the division considers necessary to:
37	(1) provide for the proper care, maintenance, and display of
38	the governors' portraits collection; and
39	(2) commission the painting of an oil portrait of each governor
40	for the collection.
41	The division may use appropriated funds or any other funds
42	provided for these purposes.



1	(e) The director of the division, in discharging the duties under
2	this section, shall use the appropriate cultural and technical
3	resources of the state, including the Indiana historical bureau and
4	the Indiana department of administration.
5	Sec. 2. (a) The governors' portraits fund is established as a
6	dedicated fund to be administered by the division. Money in the
7	fund may be expended by the director of the division exclusively
8	for the preservation and exhibition of the state owned portraits of
9	former governors of Indiana.
0	(b) The proceeds from the sale of items as directed by law or by
.1	the director of the division, from gifts of money or the proceeds
2	from the sale of gifts donated to the fund, and from investment
3	earnings from any portion of the fund, shall be deposited in the
4	governors' portraits fund.
5	(c) The treasurer of state shall invest the money in the fund not
6	currently needed to meet the obligations of the fund in the same
7	manner as other public money may be invested.
8	(d) All money accruing to the governors' portraits fund is
9	continuously allotted and appropriated for the purposes specified
0	in this section.
1	(e) Money in the fund at the end of the fiscal year does not
2	revert to the state general fund.
3	SECTION 6. IC 14-26-2-2 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
4	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 2. As used in this
.5	chapter, "natural resources" means the water, fish, plant life, wildlife,
6	and minerals in a public freshwater lake.
7	SECTION 7. IC 14-22-6-3 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
8	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 3. A person may not
9	take or possess for any purpose, during the closed season, a migratory
0	bird or the nest, eggs, or increase of a migratory bird without having
1	(1) a permit or license issued by the director under this article. or
2	(2) a permit issued by the authorized department of the United
3	States government;
4	authorizing the permittee to take or possess for any purpose a migratory
5	bird or the nest, eggs, or increase of a migratory bird during the closed
6	SEASON.
7	SECTION 8. IC 14-22-8-2, AS AMENDED BY P.L.66-2008,
8	SECTION 9, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
9	JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 2. As used in this chapter, "game bird" means
0	pheasant, quail, grouse, mourning dove , and wild turkey.
1	SECTION 9. IC 14-22-12-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.66-2008,
-2	SECTION 10, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE



1	JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 1. (a) The department may issue the following
2	licenses and, except as provided in section 1.5 of this chapter and
3	subject to subsection (b), shall charge the following minimum license
4	fees to hunt, trap, or fish in Indiana:
5	(1) A resident yearly license to fish, eight dollars and seventy-five
6	cents (\$8.75).
7	(2) A resident yearly license to hunt, eight dollars and
8	seventy-five cents (\$8.75).
9	(3) A resident yearly license to hunt and fish, thirteen dollars and
10	seventy-five cents (\$13.75).
11	(4) A resident yearly license to trap, eight dollars and seventy-five
12	cents (\$8.75).
13	(5) A nonresident yearly license to fish, twenty-four dollars and
14	seventy-five cents (\$24.75).
15	(6) A nonresident yearly license to hunt, sixty dollars and
16	seventy-five cents (\$60.75).
17	(7) A nonresident yearly license to trap, one hundred seventeen
18	dollars and seventy-five cents (\$117.75). However, a license may
19	not be issued to a resident of another state if that state does not
20	give reciprocity rights to Indiana residents similar to those
21	nonresident trapping privileges extended in Indiana.
22	(8) A resident or nonresident license to fish, including for trout
23	and salmon, for one (1) day only, four dollars and seventy-five
24	cents (\$4.75).
25	(9) A nonresident license to fish, excluding for trout and salmon,
26	for seven (7) days only, twelve dollars and seventy-five cents
27	(\$12.75).
28	(10) A nonresident license to hunt for five (5) consecutive days
29	only, twenty-five dollars and seventy-five cents (\$25.75).
30	(11) A resident or nonresident yearly stamp to fish for trout and
31	salmon, six dollars and seventy-five cents (\$6.75).
32	(12) A resident yearly license to take a deer with a shotgun,
33	muzzle loading gun, rifle, or handgun, thirteen dollars and
34	seventy-five cents (\$13.75).
35	(13) A resident yearly license to take a deer with a muzzle loading
36	gun, thirteen dollars and seventy-five cents (\$13.75).
37	(14) A resident yearly license to take a deer with a bow and
38	arrow, thirteen dollars and seventy-five cents (\$13.75).
39	(15) A nonresident yearly license to take a deer with a shotgun,
40	muzzle loading gun, rifle, or handgun, one hundred twenty dollars
41	and seventy-five cents (\$120.75).
42	(16) A nonresident yearly license to take a deer with a muzzle



1	loading gun, one hundred twenty dollars and seventy-five cents
2	(\$120.75).
3	(17) A nonresident yearly license to take a deer with a bow and
4	arrow, one hundred twenty dollars and seventy-five cents
5	(\$120.75).
6	(18) A resident license to take an extra deer by a means, in a
7	location, and under conditions established by rule adopted by the
8	department under IC 4-22-2, five dollars (\$5).
9	(19) A nonresident license to take an extra deer by a means, in a
10	location, and under conditions established by rule adopted by the
11	department under IC 4-22-2, ten dollars (\$10).
12	(20) A resident yearly license to take a turkey, fourteen dollars
13	and seventy-five cents (\$14.75).
14	(21) A nonresident yearly license to take a turkey, one hundred
15	fourteen dollars and seventy-five cents (\$114.75). However, if the
16	state of residence of the nonresident applicant requires that before
17	a resident of Indiana may take turkey in that state the resident of
18	Indiana must also purchase another license in addition to a
19	nonresident license to take turkey, the applicant must also
20	purchase a nonresident yearly license to hunt under this section.
21	(22) A resident license to take an extra turkey by a means, in a
22	location, and under conditions established by rule adopted by the
23	department under IC 4-22-2, fourteen dollars and seventy-five
24	cents (\$14.75).
25	(23) A nonresident license to take an extra turkey by a means, in
26	a location, and under conditions established by rule adopted by
27	the department under IC 4-22-2, one hundred fourteen dollars and
28	seventy-five cents (\$114.75). However, if the state of residence of
29	the nonresident applicant requires that before a resident of
30	Indiana may take a turkey in that state the resident of Indiana
31	must also purchase another license in addition to a nonresident
32	license to take a turkey, the applicant must also purchase a
33	nonresident yearly license to hunt under this section.
34	(24) A resident youth yearly consolidated license to hunt and fish,
35	six dollars (\$6). This license is subject to the following:
36	(A) An applicant must be less than eighteen (18) years of age.
37	(B) The license is in lieu of the resident yearly license to hunt
38	and fish and all other yearly licenses, stamps, or permits to
39	hunt and fish for a specific species or by a specific means.
40	(25) A nonresident youth yearly license to hunt, seventeen
41	dollars (\$17). The applicant must be less than eighteen (18)
42	years of age.



1	(26) A nonresident youth yearly license to trap, seventeen
2	dollars (\$17). The applicant must be less than eighteen (18)
3	years of age.
4	(27) A nonresident youth yearly license to take a turkey,
5	twenty-five dollars (\$25). The applicant must be less than
6	eighteen (18) years of age. However, if the state of residence
7	of the nonresident applicant requires that before a resident of
8	Indiana may take a turkey in that state the resident of Indiana
9	must also purchase another license in addition to a
10	nonresident license to take a turkey, the applicant must also
11	purchase a nonresident youth yearly license to hunt under this
12	section.
13	(28) A nonresident youth license to take an extra turkey by a
14	means, in a location, and under conditions established by rule
15	adopted by the department under IC 4-22-2, twenty-five
16	dollars (\$25). The applicant must be less than eighteen (18)
17	years of age. However, if the state of residence of the
18	nonresident applicant requires that before a resident of
19	Indiana may take a turkey in that state the resident of Indiana
20	must also purchase another license in addition to a
21	nonresident license to take a turkey, the applicant must also
22	purchase a nonresident youth yearly license to hunt under this
23	section.
24	(29) A nonresident youth yearly license to take a deer with a
25	shotgun, muzzle loading gun, or rifle, twenty-four dollars
26	(\$24). The applicant must be less than eighteen (18) years of
27	age.
28	(30) A nonresident youth yearly license to take a deer with a
29	muzzle loading gun, twenty-four dollars (\$24). The applicant
30	must be less than eighteen (18) years of age.
31	(31) A nonresident youth yearly license to take a deer with a
32	bow and arrow, twenty-four dollars (\$24). The applicant must
33	be less than eighteen (18) years of age.
34	(32) A nonresident youth license to take an extra deer by a
35	means, in a location, and under conditions established by rule
36	adopted by the department under IC 4-22-2, twenty-four
37	dollars (\$24). The applicant must be less than eighteen (18)
38	years of age.
39	(25) (33) A resident senior yearly license to fish, three dollars
40	(\$3). This license is subject to the following:
41	(A) An applicant must be at least sixty-four (64) years of age
42	and born after March 31, 1943.



1	(B) The license is in lieu of the resident yearly license to fish
2	and all other yearly licenses, stamps, or permits to fish for a
3	specific species or by a specific means.
4	(26) (34) A resident senior "fish for life" license, seventeen
5	dollars (\$17). This license is subject to the following:
6	(A) An applicant must be at least sixty-four (64) years of age
7	and must have been born after March 31, 1943.
8	(B) The license applies each year for the remainder of the
9	license holder's life.
10	(C) The license is in lieu of the resident senior yearly license
11	to fish and all other yearly licenses, stamps, or permits to fish
12	for a specific species or by a specific means.
13	(35) A voluntary resident senior yearly license to fish, three
14	dollars (\$3). This license is subject to the following:
15	(A) An applicant must have been born before March 31,
16	1943.
17	(B) The license is instead of the resident yearly license to
18	fish and all other yearly licenses, stamps, and permits to
19	fish for a specific species or by a specific means.
20	(b) The commission may set license fees to hunt, trap, or fish above
21	the minimum fees established under subsection (a).
22	SECTION 10. IC 14-22-34-19 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
23	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 19. The costs of the
24	programs established under this chapter may not be paid with money
25	dedicated to fish and game purposes; however, transfers may be
26	made from money dedicated for fish and game purposes to the
27	nongame fund established under section 20 of this chapter.
28	SECTION 11. IC 14-24-5-3 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
29	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 3. (a) The division shall
30	issue a certificate following an inspection that discloses that the nursery
31	stock is apparently free from pests and pathogens.
32	(b) The certificate shall be prepared on a commission form and must
33	state the following:
34	(1) That the nursery stock has been inspected by the division.
35	(2) That to the best knowledge and belief of the nurseryman, the
36	nursery stock is free from pests and pathogens.
37	(c) A copy of the certificate must be attached to each package of
38	nursery stock before shipment of the stock by a nurseryman.
39	(d) A certificate issued under this section expires September 30
40	following the date of issuance.
41	(e) The division shall communicate to nurserymen that methyl
42	bromide soil fumigation is preferred to produce pest and disease



1	free forest seedlings. Fumigation with methyl bromide of seedling	
2	beds before seeding is an official control treatment to assure pest	
3	free nursery stock.	
4	SECTION 12. THE FOLLOWING ARE REPEALED [EFFECTIVE	
5	JULY 1, 2009]: IC 4-23-7.2-8; IC 4-23-7.2-9.	
6	SECTION 13. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009] (a) Any money	
7	remaining on June 30, 2009, in the governors' portraits fund under	
8	IC 4-23-7.2-9, as repealed by this act, is transferred on July 1,	
9	2009, to the governors' portraits fund established by IC 14-20-16-2,	
10	as added by this act.	
11	(b) This SECTION expires July 2, 2009.	
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COMMITTEE REPORT

Madam President: The Senate Committee on Natural Resources, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 546, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be AMENDED as follows:

Page 6, line 36, delete "consolidated".

Page 8, line 22, reset in roman "September".

Page 8, line 22, delete "May".

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to SB 546 as introduced.)

MISHLER, Chairperson

Committee Vote: Yeas 8, Nays 0.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Engrossed Senate Bill 546, which is eligible for third reading, be returned to second reading for purposes of amendment.

MISHLER

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senate Bill 546 be amended to read as follows:

Page 2, line 3, delete ",".

Page 3, line 19, delete "SECTION" and insert "CHAPTER".

Page 8, between lines 8 and 9, begin a new line block indented and insert:

- "(35) A voluntary resident senior yearly license to fish, three dollars (\$3). This license is subject to the following:
 - (A) An applicant must have been born before March 31, 1943.
 - (B) The license is instead of the resident yearly license to fish and all other yearly licenses, stamps, and permits to fish for a specific species or by a specific means.".

Page 8, between lines 10 and 11, begin a new paragraph and insert: "SECTION 10. IC 14-22-34-19 IS AMENDED TO READ AS

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FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 19. The costs of the programs established under this chapter may not be paid with money dedicated to fish and game purposes; however, transfers may be made from money dedicated for fish and game purposes to the nongame fund established under section 20 of this chapter.".

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to SB 546 as printed February 3, 2009.)

MISHLER

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Natural Resources, to which was referred Senate Bill 546, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

CHEATHAM, Chair

Committee Vote: yeas 9, nays 0.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Engrossed Senate Bill 546 be amended to read as follows:

Page 4, between lines 22 and 23, begin a new paragraph and insert: "SECTION 6. IC 14-26-2-2 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 2. As used in this chapter, "natural resources" means the water, fish, plant life, wildlife, and minerals in a public freshwater lake.".

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to ESB 546 as printed March 20, 2009.)

DODGE







